DELAWARE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE JOB OPENING

Opening Date: April 14, 2021 Closing Date: April 22. 2021

SOCIAL WORKER

Criminal Division, Superior Court-Felony Trial Unit New Castle County

Job Responsibilities and Duties: This Social Worker will provide direct, trauma informed social work services to victims/witnesses for cases in the Criminal Division, Superior Court, Felony Trial Unit in New Castle County. This Social Worker assists Deputy Attorneys General and works directly with victims whose cases fall under the jurisdiction of the Superior Court. Specific duties include but are not limited to notifying victims/witnesses of the criminal case status, court dates and results of hearings; interviewing victims/witnesses to ascertain case facts, personal history and background information in order to evaluate the psychological, physical, and financial impact of the crime on the victim to identify individual needs; educate the victims/witnesses about the criminal justice process and their rights as stated in the Victims' Bill of Rights; coordinating victims/witnesses for trial and preparing them by reviewing statements, evidence, and providing court room orientation; provide crisis intervention and referrals based on individual needs; prepare and maintain casework files documenting various contacts along with maintaining statistical reports as required.

Minimum Qualifications:

Bachelor's degree in a Human Services related field and two years of human services experience; or

Associate's degree in a Human Services related field and three years of experience as a Victim Service Specialist with the Department of Justice

Knowledge of the criminal justice system

Ability to interview and counsel

Desired Qualification:

Fluent in Spanish

<u>Internal Delaware Department of Justice Applicants:</u> Please submit an updated Resume or summary of work experience to the Director of Human Resources.

<u>External Applicants</u>: In order to be considered for this position, External applicants must submit Resume and the Delaware Department of Justice Application (please see link): http://attornevgeneral.delaware.gov/executive/hr/job-application/

OR External applicants can mail Resume and the Delaware Department of Justice Application to: Delaware Department of Justice, Human Resources, 820 N. French Street, 6th Floor, Wilmington, DE 19801, OR E-mail to: DOJHR@delaware.gov OR Fax to: 302-577-5866. EOE.